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The seeds promised the Message by the Hon. Champ Clark have not reached us. As soon as they arrive will mail immediately to all who have called for same and given us their names.

Uncle Sam has closed a deal with the Electric R. R. Co. that the latter shall carry the mail between Mexico and Molino. The mail goes out from Mexico at 9 a. m. and the return mail comes in at 4 p. m. We are glad of this arrangement; it will be a great convenience for everybody in the neighborhood of Molino.

Mr. Dix Dead.

Capt. N. Dix, one of Martinsburg's oldest citizens, died in the Mexico Hospital Tuesday at noon of this week. The funeral will be at Martinsburg today and burial at Liberty church, south of Martinsburg. Mr. Dix was 79 years old. His wife died 21 years ago. A daughter survives him, Miss Mamie Dix, of Mexico.

NORTH MOLINO.

Spring has come to us all at once.

We are very sorry little Thomas Wilson is in such poor health.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Worley went to Mexico Sunday to see their niece, Mrs. H. Peters, who is very ill.

Oscar Martin and wife and daughter, Ruby, and Miss Ardie Squires were very highly entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Almer Mundy last Saturday night.

Mr. Walker moved from the Mrs. Anderson farm, near Shady Dell school house, to the Jas. Sproul farm, just west of Strother.

Rev. Neighbours will preach at Mt. Zion Saturday at 7:30.

Miss Dora Cauthorn of near Hollensville was the guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Cauthorn, last Saturday and Sunday.

There were several different schools met at the Peak school house last Monday to take the 8, 9 and 10 grades. Among the Shady Dell pupils was Miss Nina Fisher.

People are out dragging the roads early this (Monday) morning.

The Porter Gregory residence on East Liberty street was badly damaged by fire Tuesday night. Mr. Gregory lives in Kansas City.

Money in Chicks

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L. ROY FERRIS

BENTON CITY ITEMS.

Wm. Erisman shipped a load of hogs to St. Louis Monday night.

Mrs. Louis Knoble of Bush Hill is visiting at Grandma Tratchel's.

Robt. Hankins and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Tratchel.

Mrs. Fred Kellerhall who was recently operated on for Goiter at Moberly has returned home.

Wm. H. Coil was in Montgomery on business last Wednesday.

C. C. Thompson and wife, Miss Henrietta Douglass, and Miss Helen Graham and sister visited at Jno Dermody's Sunday.

Little Miss Erdyn Moore who was quite sick last week is able to be out.

Born, to Geo. Parsons and wife, Mar. 12 a fine son.

Mrs. Jane Barnes, who has been in failing health for some time, is very sick.

Miss Helen Graham and sister of Mexico were guests of Miss Vinita Erisman Saturday night.

Miss Eunice Coil who was recently operated on at the home of her brother here, is able to be up and around.

Dr. W. H. Douglass was in Huntsville last Wednesday.

Mrs. Chas Hildebrandt is on the sick list this week.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Christian Church will give an Easter Egg Supper on Saturday evening April 11th. Everybody cordially invited.

MOLINO ITEMS.

Mrs. Porter Cauthorn visited her parents in Mexico several days last week.

Mrs. Nannie Bledsoe of Mexico came out Saturday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Pate Elliot, and her sister, Mrs. Belle Miller, who is ill.

Mrs. Dode Cauthorn was the guest of Mexico relatives several days last week.

Will Heizer and wife, Bob Heizer and wife and Miss Annie Heizer of Mexico and John Heizer of Santa Fe were guests of R. L. Heizer and family Sunday.

Dr. F. P. Wood of St. Louis was a Molino visitor Sunday.

C. L. Weaver visited Creigh Bros. of near Santa Fe Sunday.

Mrs. Ashby Botts is ill.

Mrs. R. L. Heizer and daughters, Misses Florence and Irene, visited J. W. Weaver of Mexico, who is quite ill, Monday.

R. L. Heizer lost a horse Wednesday from eating corn fodder.

In Case You Like Fun.

Humor to be really humorous must have, mixed up in all its absurd exaggerations, a note of truthfulness that finds a response in the experience of every genuinely human person who reads it. That's what brings the chuckle of delight: you "have been there yourself," or else it makes you think of your next-door neighbor, or your wife's cousin's husband, or a girl you used to take to church sociables 20 years ago.

There are always a few writers who have this trick of sketching the humorous side of characters and situations in just a few skillful strokes. Josephine Dodge Daskam can do this and has been doing it several years for the highest-paying magazines of the country. The Message has just arranged for the series of articles by this clever writer. She calls them "Fables For the Fair," but they may be read with perfect safety (except as to vest buttons) by the less-fair sex as well.

Our friend, Felix Martin, of Molino, in a note written to this office, extends deepest sympathies in the recent death of our brother, Elgin Beal, whom Mr. Martin knew so well, in Nebraska. We thank you, Friend Martin.

Mrs. Henry Fisher of near Molino, who has been in ill health for some time, is reported as able to be around again. "Grandma" Fisher, in the same home, who is past three score and ten, is also improved in health.

Are You

Going to need any Implements? I have one Case Planter a few Deer Cultivators and three Disk Harrows for sale cheap.

L. Roy Ferris

MARTINSBURG ITEMS.

R. G. Lehen of Wellsville was in town on business Saturday.

Wm. Cluster of Marling visited his brother, A. B. Cluster, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. H. L. Burwell is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. Butler, at Marling.

Mrs. Carl Dobyns of Mexico spent several days last week with her sister, Miss Mayme Verhoff.

Miss Julia Kirk of Wellsville was the guest of Miss Mattie Matthews Sunday.

Herman Christrup of Laddonia was here, shaking hands with friends, Saturday.

Mart Detiene was a passenger to Mexico Sunday.

Miss Coralia Lake spent Sunday in Mexico with home folks. Miss Minnie Pike accompanied her home.

Mrs. T. C. Wilburn returned Sunday evening, after having spent several weeks in Kansas City with her daughters.

August Bertels, Jr., was a Mexican visitor Friday.

Mattie Matthews, Hazel and Vera Friedman, Miss Glenn, Miss Coralia Lake and Miss Elizabeth Matthews were in Wellsville Thursday.

Body Recovered.

The body of Joseph Chasnoff, a brother of Mrs. Maurice Philip of Mexico, who lost his life last week in the St. Louis Boatman Bank fire, was recovered last Sunday in the debris. Dr. J. A. Brown made the identification by teeth on which he had recently worked. The body was shipped to Sedalia for burial.

Judge Alex Carter was up at Sturgeon this week looking after a county-line bridge which burned recently.



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WEST DULY.

Earl Hopkins is batching and working for his brother, Clarence, for a short time. Then he is going to Montana to try his luck.

Born, to Bryan Black and wife, Monday morning, a son. All doing nicely.

People thinking of gardening. Some will sow oats this week.

Sunday school at Trinity every Sunday at 2:30. They are having a good school now.

Mrs. Lettie Stuart's many friends are glad to know she is doing nicely after an operation. She lives in Colorado.

The W. C. T. U. ladies of this vicinity served dinner at Jerry Jones' sale. Took in \$14.

R. W. Powell and wife and daughter, Frances, spent the day Saturday at his mother's in town. After quite a sick spell the mother is improving slowly. She is 80 years old.

R. L. Phillips and family have moved to Lynch Station, Va.

J. W. Dry has sold his hardware business in Mexico to E. E. Cantrell of Morrisonville, Ill. Mr. Cantrell now has charge. He will move here. We join all our citizenship in welcoming him and his family to Mexico. Mr. Dry will continue in the real estate business and will remain a fixture of our city.

The question of free text books for the Mexico schools is being agitated. As far as we are able to see we favor the idea. In the first place, it would cost no more taxes. One of the first results, it would tend toward better school attendance and better work by the pupils. It takes tools to do work, and very often the pupil is not able to buy the tools.

Little Child Dead.

The angel of death visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milford Adkins and took from them their youngest little daughter, Bessie Belle. Little Bessie was born Dec. 26, 1908, and died Mar. 6, 1914, making her 5 years, two months and 8 days old. For nearly two weeks she suffered from that dreadful malady, diphtheria. Bessie was a bright little girl and was loved by all who knew her. Both old and young loved this sweet tempered, sunny faced darling. Her playmates loved her for her good nature. Her dear face will ever remain with us. Little Bessie has gone, but O, we miss her, and O, how hard to give her up, but she was called up home by Him who knoweth best. She leaves a mother and father and an older sister, Gladis, besides hosts of friends.

Do not grieve, dear parents, Until your hearts are sore For the precious little dear, Who has gone on before. She is now a little angel And will suffer never more, And will meet you when you journey To that beautiful shore.

A dramatic club has been organized in Beagles school district, near Worcester. On next Saturday night they will present the play, "The District Attorney." It is a comedy drama in three acts, and its presentation promises a most pleasurable evening. It will be given at Wesley Chapel church.

WANT ITEMS.

(Notices under this head 5 cents per line per issue. Count 6 words to the line.)

For Rent.—160 acres, well improved, 40 acres grass balance in cultivation. Will rent grass for cash and farm land for share of grain. See C. B. Lyman, Mexico, Mo.

Custom Hatching Done. Fannie Edge, Molino, Mo.

LOST:—A solid gold M. W. A. tie pin. Between Elmwood cemetery and Court House. Finder please return to this office.

For Sale.—Two lots, five room house and out buildings. Inquire 1020 N. Washington St.

For Sale.—One buggy, nearly new. Mrs. Smith, West Boulevard.

Old papers for sale at Message office.

FOR RENT.—Well improved 140 acre farm, cash or bankable note. Adams & Son.

For Sale.—Ten room house and three lots, out buildings; also four room house and one lot. Enquire at Message office.

For Sale.—Full Buff Orpington eggs \$1.00 per setting at pens. J. D. Greer, Mexico, Mo., 608 N. Wade St.

Lost.—A watch, between the houses of A. B. Weidler and Mrs. N. Smith. Owner's name, Miss Blanche White, on lid inside case. Leave at Message office.

Mrs. F. D. Gardner of State College, Pa., and H. A. Crum of Bedford, Iowa, came last week to be at the bedside of their father here, Judge Mathias Crum.

Good Fences

Attract Attention. Notice the Peerless woven wire as you drive along the road. It always looks good, it stands the expansion and contraction of the heat and cold better than any other fence built, is always tight if the corner posts remain solid. Build fence now, don't wait till cropping time. Call and see me for styles and prices.

J. W. DRY

Mrs. Hickman Remembered.

The Royal Neighbors of Rush Hill Camp remembered Mrs. Chas. Hickman in a substantial way last week by presenting her with two large fine comfortables, which she prizes very highly—more for the spirit in which they were given than their real value. Rush Hill has a fine camp and the members are true to their name "Royal Neighbors." We hope there will be several new names added to the roll of honor this year.

A Member.

Mrs. Miller, mother of Mrs. Robt. Kerr of near Molino, is reported very ill.

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